



SURVEY RESULTS
Closing Presentation, October 22, 2005
133 Surveys Returned
(Not all surveys were completed.)

1. What element of the plan do you like best?

- **Pedestrian Connections/Access/ Connectivity: 62**
 - Crescent Area / Symphony Woods: 29
 - Lakefront: 29
 - Overall Design of Plan: 25
 - Process of Charrette: 11
 - Corporate Blvd.:9
 - Diversity of Plan: 6
 - Warfield / West Side: 5
 - Visual Images: 3
 - Affordable Housing: 3
 - Nothing at all: 3
 - Increase in density / residential units: 2
- (187 separate comments were made on positive elements of the plan.)

2. What elements need further study?

- **Transportation/Traffic/Parking/Pedestrian Issues: 67**
 - Intensity of development / height of buildings: 23
 - Affordable Housing: 19
 - Connections and Impacts to other Columbia Villages and surrounding areas: 17
 - Environmental Concerns/ Open Space: 14
 - Cultural, Civic, Entertainment Uses: 13
 - Zoning / Form Based Codes: 8
 - Infrastructure: 7
 - Crime/Safety: 6
 - Corporate Blvd.: 5
 - Cooperation with others (GGP / CA): 4
 - Maintenance: 1
- (198 separate comments were made on elements of the plan that need further study.)

3. How have you felt about the process?

Approximately 88% of the respondents had a positive comment about the charrette process.

48% had an above average or excellent comment.

11% had a negative comment about the charrette process.

- Excellent: 18
- Above Average: 39
- OK / Worthwhile: 47
- Disappointed / Skeptical / Waste of Time and Money: 13

(117 comments were made about the charrette process.)

4. How many charrette public events have you attended?

52% attended 3 or more events.

76% attended 2 or more events

- One: 30
- Two: 30
- Three: 30
- Four: 16
- Five: 19

(125 comments were made on regarding the number of events attended.)

5. Where do you live?

79% of the respondents live in Columbia.

14% live in the Town Center.

- Town Center: 18
- Other Columbia Village: 82
- Outside of Columbia: 22
- Outside of Howard County: 5

(127 comments were made where attendees live.)